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ACTS OF DECEPTION Maj. Moore, on May 13, 1893, was also gone into at some length.

Mr. Breckinridge Questioned About the Engagement.

The Defendant Says She Went Beyond the Agreement.

NEVER SAID HE LOVED HER

The famous trial of the breach of prom suit against Representative Brecknridge
was continued in the Circuit Court this
morning before Judge Bradley. A crowd of
the usual size managed to gain entrance to
the precincts of the court room and listened ough the morning to the cross-ex ation of the defendant by Mr. Wilson





Mr. Carlisle.

Wr. Wilson kept him worted the time with a series of questions his actions during the past ten years he motives that actuated him in his actionate toward the plaintiff. All by Miss Pollard's lawyers, and as soon as lime that he is giving his testimony reckinridge stands in the witness box, as the curtain to ring up on anather act of the drama, for Judge Bradley.



"I HONESTLY DECEIVED MRS. BLACKBURN."

blong a line that had been looked forward to with the greatest interest by all those who have followed the case at all closely. fully two hours Mr. Wilson confined self in his questions to two of the most important phases of the trial, the question whether the defendant had ever used to-ward the plaintiff expressions of affection or such as would lead her to believe that he loved or had an affection for



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Mr. Wilson then asked him if he had made any protestations. Type for. He treated her always with the greatest kindliness and gentleness," and showed her every sign of "affectionate interest," but never had he led her to believe that there could ever be more than a "demonstrations of affection," caresses, kisses and all that, but never a worl of love from him, though she often told him of her love for him. Mr. Wilson asked the of nor love defendant if it was not true that he had beld the servant girl at Mrs. Thomas' that when he and Miss Pollard were married and went to housekeeping, he desired to have her come and live with them. Mr. Breekinridge denied emphatically that he had ever said that or anything like that. All other references to incidents in which it was alleged he had spoken of a coming services with Miss Pollard, he also veherates with Miss Pollard, he also veherates with Miss Pollard, he also veherates with Miss Pollard, griage with Miss Pollard, he also vehe

vies noted in the stories of that famous visit to Mrs. Blackburn's apartments, as told by Mrs. Blackburn and Mr. Breckinridge. To shees Mr. Wilson devoted most of his attention. He read freely from the type-written report of Mrs. Blackburn's testimony, and askel whether the statements made in that were true. Mr. Breckinridge said that he had not the slightest desire to impugn the accuracy. said that he had not the signest desire to impugn the accuracy of Mrs. Blackburn's statements, but, just the same, in the case of very many incidents referred to, he said that he could not remember that they had over occurred. In his opinion, Mrs. Blackburn had gotten two or three conversations mixed up and had reported statements as made by him at the first occasion which were really not made until a later visit, when Miss Pollard was not present. With reference to a number of statements, the defendant said that his recollection and

rs. Blackburn's did not agree. Mr. Breckinridge admitted that it was his desire on the occasion of that visit to de-ceive Mrs. Blackburn as to his intentions

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toward Miss Poliard, without running the
risk of saying too much.

"In other words," said Mr. Wilson, "you
were trying to deceive Mrs. Blackburn
honestly,"

"Yea, that is about the case."
In her testimony Mrs. Blackburn stated
that Mr. Breckinridge denied that he had
the slightest intention of marrying Mrs.
Wins. On his cross-examination today he
said that he had never said any such thing.
These were only a few of the interesting
and significant developments of the morning. During the course of the cross-exammation today the matter of the visit te

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Recurring to the luncheon at 1819 H street, the witness said he was sure it was following day, and speaking to her of the

plimented it.
"Do you recollect," asked Mr. Wilson,
"saying to her that when you and Madeline
got to keeping house you wanted her to
come and live with you?"
"On, no," said Mr. Breckinridge, "that is
altogether a fancy sketch. Nothing of the
sort occurred. I was not in the habit of
talking about such matters to colored servants."

As to Terms of Affection. As to Terms of Affection.

"At no time," he said, "was there any protestation on my part of what I should term affection. It is an ambiguous term, which may mean different things to different things to the terms of the different thing the interval ent people. At no time during the interval from the time I first met her at the Wesleyan University until the present did I ever make any protestation of love for her. If you mean by affection kindliness or the manifestation of kindly interest, I should say that I had shown a feeling of that kind."



when was the first time, then, that you manifested this kindliness?"
"When I was first informed by her that she was pregnant by me—in the spring, I believe, of 1887."
The witness then repeated the interest he had taken in her, as he described it, as a matter of duty.

Never Used Any Expressions of Love. "There never was at any time," he re-peated, "any expression on my part toward her of love. I have stated that there were

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and Currency Committee.

THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE MEASURE

What Effect It Will Have on the Currency Question.

MR. HALL GIVES HIS VIEWS

By a vote of eight to five the House com mittee on banking and currency decided to-day to report in favor of subjecting green-backs to state and municipal taxation. The bill was introduced by Representative Cooper of Indiana, and is regarded as an Important one, bearing on the general cur-rency question. Representative Springer of Illinois was the only democrat to vote against reporting the bill, and Representaachusetts. Nays-Springer, Henderson of Illinois, Russell of Massachusetts, Haugen and Johnson of Indiana.

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10 o'clock, and Mr. Breckinridge's them took freedom from made it more de-They have kept it from circulation, as its freedom from taxation made it more desirable to keep in the bank vaults than silver or gold, which are subject to taxation. The anxiety of the banks to get hold of greenbacks has been so great that a fraudulent practice has grown up. There are only \$346,000,000 of greenbacks in circulation, yet official returns show that banks and individuals claim exemption on three billions of greenbacks.

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'The manner of conducting this fraud is imple. A package of greenbacks is passed rom bank to bank, ahead of the tax assesor, and at each bank he exempts the ame package of greenbacks. The Cooper fill will put an end to this practice, and lso bring the greenbacks from its hiding lace.

"As affecting the currency question in general, the bill is also important. At presthe many unjust discriminations made against it. Paper moneys will pay the same tax as sliver, and there will be no further reason for denying sliver access to the banks and general circulation, because of the present pecuniary advantages of securing greenbacks.

'The bill will undoubtedly pass. It has twice passed the Senate by unanimous vote, and it is in most of the democratic state platforms."

They Sit in the Rain Around Fires

Johnston were going to leave the army

blankets, a great number of cooking utensils and a lot of clothing. As a result of the last named article many of the men presented quite a respectable appearance.

The camp is surrounded by a line of Allegheny police, and none are allowed either to enter or depart, officers and newspaper men excepted. Up to the present time thirty-three men have enrolled themselves under the commonweal standard, and many nore are waiting to be allowed to pass the lines to do the same.

Coxey and Brown are now speaking to large crowds. The people are very enthuslastic, and the petition now has several thousand signers. The leaders are highly pleased and encouraged by the reception received here and express themselves hope-

In addition to the various bodies of men

LOCAL PREACHERS.

Appointments by the Baltimore Conference of Southern Methodists.

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star.
FREDERICKSBURG. Va., April 4.—At
12 o'clock the bishop read to the Baltimore
conference of the South Methodists the appointments as follows: Washington district—R. Smithson, presiding elder; Mt.
Vernon, I. W. Canter; Epworth, J. C. Jones; Marvin, W. S. Hammon'; Alexandria, T. E. Carson; Falls Church, J. T. Williams; Fairfax, S. V. Hildebrant; Dranesville, C. B. Lutton, B. L. Parrott; Leesburg, J. W. Grubb; Hamilton, R. R. S. Hough; Hillsboro, W. H. Sanders, J. M. Anderson; Midboro, W. H. Sanders, J. M. Anderson; Mid-dleburg, H. I. Stevens; Loudoun, G. T. Tyler, W. D. Keene; Marshall, H. M. Stric-ley; Fanquier, S. B. Dolley; Occoquan, C. E. Simmons; Morrisville, L. Graat; Sudley and Manassas, A. Weller and W. A. Ross; Stafford, L. Fox; Fredericksburg, S. G. Ferruson

Ferguson.

Dr. Wightman remains at Emmanuel,
Paltimore I S Hutchinson greet to Delta

The President today sent the following tominations to the Senate:
Postmasters—J. W. F. Lowrey, Dawson, Postmasters—J. W. F. Lowrey, Dawson, Ga.; George S. Halnes, Savannah, Ga.; Dennis S. Sheppard, Washington, Ill.; David F. Fortney, Beliefonte, Pa.; Harry D. Caskey, Austin, Pa.; Samuel M. Totten, Vermillion, S. C.; Isaac R. Ardis, Greenville, Texas; Thos, H. H. Aynie, Lampasas, Texas; C. C. Carlin, Alexandria, Va.; Drummond G. Craig, Fort Atkinson, Wis.

Justice—To be judges of probate, territory of Utah; Joshua B. Greenwood in county of Millard, Samuel Francis in county of Morgan, E. G. Defrieze in county of Untah, Henry L. Steed in county of Boxelder.

A Bill Agreed Upon by the Banking Not Likely to Pass the Seigniorage Bill Over the Veto.

> Advocates of the Tariff Bill Afraid That It Cannot Be Passed Since Recent Republican Victories.

will be consumed in debate, during which the administration will be attacked with

A Free Columne 1511.

There is not the least hope for the silver men that they can pass the bill over the veto. It is Bland's intention to report a free columne bill from his committee very soon after this matter is disposed of. United the column the same report and the columns the same report and the columns the same report and the columns the columns the columns that the co der the rules his committee can report and call up measures at any time, but the ques-tion of consideration can be raised against him, and doubts are entertained, even by his own people, whether they can get a strong enough vote to take a free coinage bill up at this session. Fears for the Tariff Rill.

the measure, feeling that the delay and uncertainty as to the legislation is largely
responsible for the public dissatisfaction
with the democratic party. On the other
hand, those democratic party on the other
hand, those democratic ware opposed to
the bill charge the dissatisfaction against
the proposed legislation itself, and are
liable to be strengthened in their opposition. The republicans, who have been divided in opinion as to how far they should
go in obstruction of the bill in the Senate,
are likely to be united in a determination
to resist to the last ditch, feeling assured
that their people are more interested in
having the bill beaten than they are in
having the uncertainty quickly relieved.

Two Vacancies to Be Filled and Lively Contest Likely.

When the Louisiana legislature duty of electing two members to the United States Senate. The elections promise to be hotly contested, as there are four promi-nent candidates in the field. The vacancies were created by the death of Senators Gibson in the early part of last year, and Gibson in the early part of last year, and by the recent appointment of Seuator White to the bench of the Supreme Court of the United States. The present Senators from Lousiana, Messrs. Caffery and Blanchard, hold office by virtue of appointment by the governor, and they are making a strong fight to be elected by the legislature. The other chief candidates are ex-Senator Joras and Representative C. J. Boatner, special Dispatch to The Evening Star.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 4.—A cold rain has set in, and with only a miserable cannot have to protect them from the weather, the commonwealers sit grouped around camp fires, playing cards, reading and generally amusing themselves, but no signs of discontent are visible. The determination of continuing the maybe to Westburgers, and the star of the port of New Orleans, a proposed of the port of New Orleans and the continuing the maybe to Westburgers.

BERING SEA BILL.

It is to Be Advanced in the House Without Delay.

The Bering sea bill will be slipped through the House without the usual delays incident to legislation. Secretary Gresham was be-fore the House committee on foreign affairs yesterday to urge the desirability of speedy action. The Senate had just passed the bill presented by Mr. Morgan, and in the opin-ion of the Secretary this bill covered the case and time could be saved by the immediate adoption by the House. The House committee, therefore, voted unanim to report the Senate bill.

Chairman McCreary then arranged to set the bill before the House at the earliest moment possible. Speaker Crisp was ready to recognize Mr. McCreary on the bill as soon as the pending election case was out of the way. It was also arranged with Representative Biand that his move to pass the seigniforage bill over the veto would give way long enough to pass the Bering sea bill. This appears to make the speedy passage of the bill certain, yet Mr. McCreary fears the unanimous consent of the House, necessary for advancing the bill, may not be secured. In that event he is prepared to secure a special rule from the rules committee making the Bering sea bill the immediate order of business.

Secretary Gresham's talk with the committee did not indicate any uneasiness as to the satisfactory close of the negotiations with Great Britain. He looked upon it as desirable, however, that this country should fully execut the award of the Paris court of arbitration, as it could then be better able to insist that the other party to the arbitration should fully live up to the award.

HEYERMAN FOUND GUILTY. Result of the Kearsarge Wreck Court- nightfall.

The proceedings of the court-martial in of Commander Oscar F. Heyerms charged with negligence and inciliciency in connection with the loss of the Kearsarge, were made public today.

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The officer was found guilty of the first charge "through neglience, suffering a vessel of the navy to be run upon a reef and stranded," and also guilty of the second stranded." and also guilty of the second charge of "Inefficiency in the performance of duty." He was sentenced "to be suspended from duty for a period of two years on waiting orders' pay, during which time he shall retain his present number on the list of commanders. In view of the long and faithful service of Commander O. P. Heyerman, U.S.N., all the members of the court recommended him to the elemency of the reviewing authority."

No action will be taken on this case by the Secretary of the Navy until after the conclusion of the trial of Lieut. Lyman of the Kearsarge.

TAXING GREENBACKS SILVER AND THE TARIFF THE INQUEST HELD

Newspaper Reporters and Outsiders Excluded.

RESIDENTS OF FLORENCE, S.C., ARRESTED

come at Darlington

other: "What will be the next outcome?" Every man had but one answer, and he gave it with reluctance and sorrowful positiveness. The answer was: "Trouble and probable bloodshed." If the governor, in directing the municipal police to search residences and act the part of spies and constables, every one is of the opinion that they will first refuse and resist attempted coercion with force. Moreover, it is likely that there will be a general unrising extent.

delegation of Darlington citizens to visit and confer with him, in accordance with which ex-Congressman Dargan, Col. Coker and E. Keith Dargan went to Columbia last night for that purpose. The governor will attempt to obtain a promise from them of safe conduct for the constables. Last night the citizens of Darlington

swore out a warrant for the arrest of Con-stable McClennan, the man who caused all the trouble and fired the first shot. Mc-Clennan was known to be within eighteen niles of Darlington, and a civil officer was

Yesterday afternoon witnessed the Weck-ginning of the investigation of the wreck-Adj tant General Farley conducted the in-quiry. He examined several witnesses, but could not get a word which would throw any light upon the wrecking of the dispen-sary. The inquiry was absolutely fruitless. The governor was telegraphed to that ef-fect, and it is believed he will order the ar-rest of the town officials and others.

night not to resist arrest, but to immediate-ly apply for a writ of habeas corpus, as the Senator Butler had a long conference last night with Adjt. Gen. Farley and gave him some advice about obeying orders from the governor. Senator Butler advised him to Adjt. Gen. Farley had been proceeding with considerable moderation and discretion in dealing with the people of Florence. Last night he received a telegram from the gov-ernor directing him to carry out every order Farley had not exercised such discretion and moderation as he has exhibited the four hours would have been

chances of a conflict within the past twentyfour hours would have been greatly increated.

Senator Butter's visit has calmed the people.

Supporting the Governor.

News of a serous movement unough the
farmers of Florence county leaked out leat
night. On the day prevous there was a
convention in Florence of populates of the
county. It had been called prior to this
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county and the people of the county.

It is said at the civil service commission
that there is no clash between Secretary
Morton, Chief Harrington of the weather
county it had been called prior to the
wheel behind closed doors, but the now as a

given out last night by the chalrman of the
meeting. There were delegates from the
fourteen townships of the county. A resothink own adopted supporting the governor
once, and then the following resolution or any
unanimously adopted: "Steelevied, That this
convention appoint an executive committee
of the reform party, to be composed of one
of the classified service, and that
the convention appoint an emergency
requires it."

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submission had received a letter from Secturn, collection and the classified service and that
were of the same opinion.

Wholesale Arrests Made.

The dawning of today found the town in
a more anxious state than at any time
at more anxious state than a submission
that there is no clash between Secretary
the former of the propose of
the will be ac

Adjutant General Farley left mysterious ly this morning for an interior town near here. It is presumed he has gone to pro-tect some of the escaped constables that are congregating at Tillman's order to go back to Darlington. The governor anback to Darlington to testify at the

ward Darlington today. As the telegraph office there is closed to all but military dispatches the newspaper men established a system of couriers across country to handle the reports of the events which were expected to occur at Darlington when the constables returned there.

RACES BUT NO BETS

"TROOPS NOT NEEDED."

What the Mayor of Florence, S. C., Says of the Situation.

Special Dispatch from a Staff Correspondent. FLORENCE, S. C., April 4.—The mayor of the city of Florence has authorized as

4Some of the sliver men are alarmed now by indications that they may not get as many votes to pass the seigniorage bill over the President's veto as they got on the bill originally. It is said that several members who voted for the bill have intimated that they will not vote for it again.

The message is to come up in the House as soon as a quorum can be had to complete the seating of Mr. English, in spite of the property of the section of the property of the property of the city of Florence has authorized an interview upon the situation, in which he says, among other things:

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"The city of Florence is today and has always been one of the most peaceful communities in the whole state of South Caro-lina. Since Friday might there has been no Friday was due wholly to the murders committed in Darlington by the spies and the call of the Darlington citizens to their place." they will not vote for it again.

The message is to come up in the House as soon as a quorum can be had to complete the seating of Mr. English, in spite of the desires of his constituents. The more in a furor of excitement and indignation, and reports from other portions of the conservative silver men would like to have conservative silver men would like to have the conservative silver men would li uon, and reports from other portions of the state indicate a similar condition of affairs.

Gov, Tillman's action in assuming charge of the entire police force of the state has been the spark to the powder train. Only a miracle or Tillman's backdown can prevent an explosion, which will shake the social and political future of the state to its form. and political future of the state to its foundation. The news of Gov. Tillman's speech and proclamation reached Florence last evening about dusk. The town was in a feverish state from the events of the day within its borders—the presence of the miles. feverish state from the events of the day the blind tiger went through it. Be this within its borders—the presence of the militia and the grave uncertainty of the outnot one lota of trouble since then."

come at Darlington.

The indignation of the people was almost beyond expression. After the first flush of rage had abated the people asked each other: "What will be the next outcome?"

Every wan had be a second outcome?"

that there will be a general uprising against the dispensaries, as an initial movement of resistance to Tillman's (the governor's) enforcement of the dispensary law. The assassination of the governor is predicted on the same that are the same that the sa Yesterday evening he telegraphed for a that no home can be searched except where crimes have been committed."

THE CORONER'S INCLEST. By the Governor's Orders All Corres

pondents Are Excluded.

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star.

DARLINGTON, S. C., April 4.—The

DARLINGTON, S. C., April 4.—The coroner's inquest over the citizens killed last Friday began this morning, it was held in the railroad depot. Soon after the proceedings commenced a detachment of soldiers filed in and said that the governor's orders were that all correspondents and other outsiders should be ejected from the room, and that the inquest should be a star chamber proceeding. The correspondents urged that a coroner's inquest is a public proceeding and protested against going out.

The coroner upheld them, saying that there was no law sanctioning a secret inquest. Upon the advice of his counsel, however, the coroner excluded the people, A cordon of solders was then placed around the depot and a rigid guard maintained. Gov. Tillman's orders are that the testimony taken at the inquest shall be reserved and not made public until the testimony of the constables is published. The citizens have agreed not to harm the constables white there are Darilington men testifying. A file of soldlers occupy the telegraph office and all press dispatches are excluded. The coroner upheld them, saying that kno

Naval Movements.

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The Bennington has arrived at Valparaiso; the Ranger, at San Diego, Cal.; Yorktown, at Port Townsend, and the Monocacy at Kinklang.

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Both Designs Rejected.

Secretary Carlisle has rejected both the amended designs for the world's fair medal submitted by Mr. St. Gaudons and it looks as though the successful exhibitors would have to wait a long time for their medals.

This Bill as Passed.

RACE TRACK MEASURE AMENDED

Mr. Allen Knocks Out All Pool Selling.

THE DETAILED VOTE

The unexpected happened in the Senate

This result was entirely unexpected and

It is the general opinion that the coroner's jury will convict the constables, and speculation is rife as to whether the governor will pardon them when convicted. In his instructions to constables he told them that if the people showed this disrespect to them or disobeyed them to shoot them down, and if the courts convicted them he would pardon them.

This was commented upon by Senator Butler last night, who said that Tillman in making that announcement, placed himself beyond the pale of the law. If he pardons McLendon and his associates they will be killed by the friends of the Cead men, unless they get out of the state before the pardon is announced.

Personal Mention.

D. C. Forney has been suddenly called to Harrisburg. Pa., to see a very seriously sick brother, Mr. Wien Forney, editor Harrisburg Indexes